

Patent

COPY OF PAPERS ORIGINALLY FILED

Docket No: 56032US022

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Adam S. Cantor, Terrance W. Ocheltree and

Cynthia A. Robles

Group Art Unit: 3763

Serial No.: 09/965,610

Examiner:

Filed:

September 26, 2001

For: COMPOSITION FOR THE

TRANSDERMAL DELIVERY OF

FENTANYL

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class

Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on:

February 5, 2002

Date

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

Box Missing Parts Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION mailed on November 5, 2001. Part 2 of this form is enclosed.

No original declaration or oath was filed and enclosed is the original declaration for this application. The above-identified application is the application, which the inventors executed by signing the enclosed Declaration, Power of Attorney; and Petition.

· USEN: 09/965,610

ocket No.: 56032US022

Please charge the fee provided in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) to Deposit Account No. 13-3723. Please also charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3723. One copy of this sheet marked DUPLICATE is also enclosed.

Registration Number 30,497	Telephone Number 651-733-4247
Date February 5, 2002	

Office of Intellectual Property Counsel 3M Innovative Properties Company P.O. Box 33427 St. Paul, Minnesota 55133-3427 Facsimile: (651) 736-3833

Enclosures

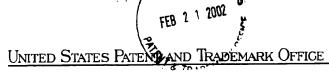
Respectfully submitted,

By

Robert W. Sprague



PO Box 33427



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER

FILING/RECEIPT DATE

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER

09/965,610

St. Paul. MN 55133-3427

Office of Intellectual Property Counsel 3M Innovative Properties Company

09/26/2001

Adam S. Cantor

56032US002

CONFIRMATION NO. 8132

FORMALITIES LETTER

OC00000007026880

COPY OF PAPERS ORIGINALLY FILED

Date Mailed: 11/05/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

02/27/2002 NMOHAMM1 00000038 133723 0996

09965610

01 FC:105

130.00 CH